IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	Group Art Unit: 3731
Stephen Porter	Confirmation No.: 6462
Serial No.: 10/695,151	Examiner: Elizabeth Houston
Filed: October 27, 2003)
For: VASO-OCCLUSIVE DEVICES WITH IN-SITU STIFFENING ELEMENTS)))
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION	
M/S: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
Sir:	
In response to the Office Action mailed August 7, 2008, please consider the	
following remarks.	
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